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Our Case No. 659/794

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

Michael J. Faulks et al.

Serial No. 09/849,935

Filing Date: May 4, 2001

For DISPENSER GASKET AND
TENSIONER SYSTEM

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Examiner: Not Assigned

Group Art Unit No.: 3754

DECLARATION PURSUANT TO 37 C.F.R. §1.48(a)

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Washington, D.C. 20231

Dear Sir:

I, Yung Hsiang Huang, do hereby declare as follows:

1. I am a citizen of the United States of America residing at 2420 West Seneca Drive, Appleton, Wisconsin 54914.
2. I am a joint inventor of the above identified application.
3. My name was not listed as an inventor on the original declaration of inventorship, filed October 10, 2001.

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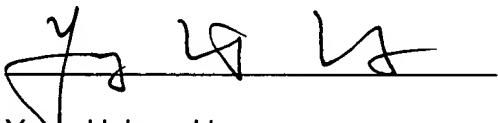
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4. This error in inventorship occurred without deceptive intent on my part or on the part of those who signed the original declaration of inventorship.

5. I declare further that all statements made herein are true; and further that all statements were made with the knowledge that willful false statements and the like so made are punishable by fine or imprisonment, or both, under 1011 of Title 18 of the United States code and that such willful false statements may jeopardize the validity of the application and any patent issuing thereon.

February 25, 2002

Date


Yung Hsiang Huang

3. I have been granted authority on behalf of Kimberly-Clark Corporation to act on behalf of Kimberly-Clark Corporation in matters relating to patents and patent applications.

4. I do hereby give consent to add Yung Hsiang Huang as an inventor to the above identified patent application.

5. I declare further that all statements made herein are true; and further that all statements were made with the knowledge that willful false statements and the like so made are punishable by fine or imprisonment, or both, under 1011 of Title 18 of the United States code and that such willful false statements may jeopardize the validity of the application and any patent issuing thereon.

Respectfully submitted,



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DECLARATION FOR PATENT APPLICATION

As a below named inventor, I hereby declare that:

My residence, post office address and citizenship are as stated below next to my name.

I believe I am the original, first and sole inventor (if only one name is listed below) or an original, first and joint inventor (if plural names are listed below) of the subject matter which is claimed and for which a patent is sought on the invention entitled Dispenser Gasket and Tensioner System, the specification of which:

- is attached hereto.
- was filed on May 4, 2001 as Application Serial No. 09/849,935.
- and was amended on _____ (if applicable).

I hereby state that I have reviewed and understand the contents of the above-identified specification, including the claims, as amended by any amendment referred to above.

I acknowledge the duty to disclose information which is material to the patentability as defined in Title 37, Code of Federal Regulations, § 1.56(a).

I hereby claim foreign priority benefits under 35 U.S.C. § 119(a)-(d) or § 365(b) of any foreign application(s) for patent or inventor's certificate or § 365(a) of any PCT International application which designated at least one country other than the United States, listed below and have also identified below, by checking the box, any foreign application for patent or inventor's certificate, or PCT International application having a filing date before that of the application on which priority is claimed:

Prior Foreign Application(s)Priority Claimed

(Number)	(Country)	(Day/Month/Year Filed)	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Yes	No
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I hereby claim the benefit under 35 U.S.C. § 119(e) of any United States provisional application(s) listed below:

(Application Serial No.)	(Filing Date)
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I hereby claim the benefit under 35 U.S.C. § 120 of any United States application(s), or § 365(c) of any PCT International application designating the United States, listed below and, insofar as the subject matter of each of the claims of this application is not disclosed in the prior United States or PCT International application in the manner provided by the first paragraph of 35 U.S.C. § 112, I acknowledge the duty to disclose information which is material to patentability as defined in 37 CFR § 1.56 which became available between the filing date of the prior application and the national or PCT International filing date of this application:

09/659,295	September 12, 2000	Pending
09/565,227	May 4, 2000	Pending
09/545,995	April 10, 2000	Pending

(Application Serial No.) (Filing Date) (Status-patented, pending, abandoned)

I hereby declare that all statements made herein of my own knowledge are true and that all statements made on information and belief are believed to be true; and further that these statements were made with the knowledge that willful false statements and the like so made are punishable by fine or imprisonment, or both, under Section 1001 of Title 18 of the United States Code and that such willful false statements may jeopardize the validity of the application or any patent issued thereon.

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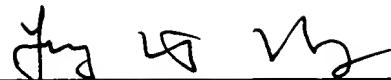
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